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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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In response to the Final Office Action dated August 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page -3- of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** are on page -7- of this paper.

**Conclusion** is on page -8- of this paper.